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For (Title): METHOD OF MANUFACTURING METALLIC WIRE SEGMENT

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\boxtimes	Formal drawings (Figs. 1A-12; 7 sheets) are attached.		
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	A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.		
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	Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.		

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Priority of foreign applications No. 2000-379074 filed December 13, 2000 in JAPAN and No. 2001-281970 filed September 17, 2001 in JAPAN are claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith.

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